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FOR:

LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

Enclosed are:

- 13 sheets of □ formal □ informal drawings.
- ☑ Transmittal of Japanese patent application 2002-205768 to claim priority date of July 15, 2002.
- ☑ An unexecuted Declaration.
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